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Item 7 - Other reasons for holding abandonment: On 13 February 2008, the examiner telephoned the applicant's attorney, Sean S. Wooden, Reg. No. 43,997, to confirm that no response to the last office action was filed.

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